

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2026-2027

2026

FALL SEMESTER

Opening the University/Advising Day & Convocation	September 1
First Complete Teaching Day (Day & CPS/G, Fall I)	September 2
CPS/G Fall I Add/Drop Period Ends	September 3
LABOR DAY HOLIDAY	September 7
Full Semester ADD/DROP Period Ends	September 9
CPS/G Fall I Last day to Withdraw	September 22
Last Day to Withdraw from 1st Quarter Classes	October 2
Fall I Classes End CPS/G	October 10
INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' DAY (Columbus Day State Holiday)	October 12
CPS/G Fall II Classes Begin	October 13
CPS/G Fall II Add/Drop Period Ends	October 14
CPS/G Makeup Day for Indigenous Peoples Day Holiday	October 16
Classes End in 1st Quarter Classes	October 20
1st Quarter Final Examinations Begin	October 21
1st Quarter Final Examinations End	October 23
Classes Begin for 2nd Quarter Classes	October 24
Last Day to Add a 2nd Quarter Course	October 26
CPS/G Fall II Last Day to Withdraw	October 30
Halloween – No Classes after 4:30 (Saturday)	October 31
Make-Up Day for Halloween (as needed)	November 6
VETERANS' DAY HOLIDAY	November 11
CPS/G Makeup Day for Veterans' Day Holiday	November 13
CPS/G Fall II Classes End	November 22
Last Day to Withdraw from Full Semester Classes	November 23
Last Day to Withdraw from 2nd Quarter Classes	November 30
Advising/Reading Day (No Day or CPS/G Classes)	November 25
THANKSGIVING DAY RECESS	November 26-28
Classes Resume	November 30
Last Day of Classes-Day School	December 11
Reading Day (No Day Classes, CPS/G in Session)	December 14
Fall Examinations Begin - Day School	December 15
Fall Examinations End - Day School/End of Semester	December 22
Last Day of Classes-CPS/G	December 18
Fall Exam Make Up Day School	December 23
WINTER RECESS (Begins at 2 pm)	December 23
WINTERSESSION	
Wintersession Online begins:	December 28
Wintersession Online Add/Drop Period Ends:	December 29
NEW YEAR'S DAY HOLIDAY	January 1
Wintersession One-Week Classes Begin	January 4
Last Day to Drop Wintersession One-Week Classes	January 4
Last day to Withdraw from Wintersession One-Week Classes	January 7
Wintersession One-Week Day Ends	January 8
Wintersession One-Week Snow Make-Up Day	January 11
Last Day to Withdraw from Wintersession Online Classes	January 15
Wintersession Online Ends	February 5

*CPS/G = School of Continuing and Professional Studies / School of Graduate Studies

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SPRING SEMESTER

Advising Days	January 13-15
MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY HOLIDAY	January 18
First Complete Teaching Day Full Semester Classes (Day & CPS/G)	January 19
Full Semester Add/Drop Period Ends	January 25
CPS/G Spring I Classes Begin	February 8
CPS/G Spring I Add/Drop Ends	February 9
Last Day to Withdraw from 3rd Quarter Classes	February 19
PRESIDENTS' DAY HOLIDAY	February 22
CPS/G Make-up Day for Presidents' Day Holiday	February 26
CPS/G Spring I Last Day to Withdraw	February 26
Classes End in 3rd Quarter Classes	March 16
3rd Quarter Final Examinations Begin	March 17
3rd Quarter Final Examinations End	March 19
Classes Begin 4th Quarter Classes	March 29
Last Day to Add 4th Quarter Classes	March 10
SPRING RECESS	March 13-19
CPS/G Spring I Classes End	March 27
CPS/G Spring II Classes Begin	March 29
CPS/G Spring II Add/Drop Period Ends	March 30
Last Day to Withdraw from Full Semester Classes	April 9
CPS/G Spring II Last Day to Withdraw	April 16
Last Day to Withdraw from 4th Quarter Classes	April 16
PATRIOTS' DAY HOLIDAY	April 19
CPS/G Make-up Day for Patriots' Day Holiday	April 23
Last Day of Classes - Day School	May 4
Reading Day (No Day Classes, CPS/G in Session)	May 5
Final Examinations Begin - Day School Classes	May 6
CPS/G Spring II Classes End	May 8
CPS/G Classes End Full Semester	May 9
Final Examinations End - Day School Classes/End of Semester	May 13
Final Exam Make-Up Day School	May 14
Commencement Ceremonies	May 20-22
SUMMER SESSION	
Full Summer and Summer Session I Classes Begin	May 24
Full Summer and Summer Session I Add/Drop Period Ends	May 25
MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY	May 31
CPS/G Make-up Day for Memorial Day Holiday	June 4
Last Day for Withdrawal SS I	June 11
JUNETEENTH HOLIDAY	June 19
Last Day of Classes Summer Session I	July 3
JULY 4 RECESS (No Classes)	July 5
Summer Session II Classes Begin	July 12
Summer Session II Add/Drop Period Ends	July 13
Last Day for Withdrawal SSII and Full Summer	July 30